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Dear Neighbors and Friends:

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your families a Happy New Year! May 2014 fill your homes with joy, your hearts with love and your life with laughter.

I invite you to read this month's newsletter where you will find information about upcoming community events, county services, December in review and other important legislative updates.

May God bless you and your families this year and always!

Sincerely,

Esteban Bovo, Jr.

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Commissioner's Upcoming Events

Commissioner ESTEBAN BOVO, JR., Senator RENÉ GARCÍA and
Mayor CARLOS HERNANDEZ invite you to

Hialeah Movie Nights

FREE ADMISSION



SHOWTIME AT SUNSET
FRIDAY, JANUARY 10TH
MOVIE:
MONSTERS UNIVERSITY
WALKER PARK
2825 West 8th Avenue



FRIDAY, JANUARY 24TH
PLANES
Bright Park
750 East 35th St



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST
WRECK IT RALPH
McDonald Park
7505 West 12th Avenue



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH
BRAVE
O'Quinn Park
6051 West 2nd Ave

BRING YOUR BLANKETS AND CHAIRS!



ATTENTION SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS

Mom and Pop Small Business Grant

For the consecutive year, Commissioner Bovo will be giving aid to small business throughout District 13 through the Mom & Pop Small Business Grant. **The application will be open from March 3rd to the 14th**



For more information, please feel free to contact our office or Hialeah-Dade Development's office at 305-884-1219.

Mobile Constituent Hours

Our office will be holding mobile office hours every month in order to meet with constituents in the Miami Lakes and Palm Springs North region of District 13.

Monday, January 13th from
1 to 3 p.m.

Miami Lakes Library Branch
6699 Windmill Gate Road

Monday, January 13th from 3
to 5 p.m.

Palm Spring North Branch
17601 NW 78th Avenue

January
10th - Movie Night
13th - Town Hall
24th - Movie Night
25th - Autism Walk

February
5th - Golden
Passport
7th - Movie night
8th - Mega Adoption
Event
10th - Town Hall
21st - Movie night

March
3rd - Mom & Pop
App. Opens
10th - Town Hall
14th - Mom & Pop
App. Closes

[Visit our
Community
Calendar](#)

Community Events

Hialeah
8th - Council
Meeting
22nd - Council
Meeting
[27th - Jose Marti
Parade](#)

Miami Lakes
8th - Council
Meeting
[10th - Movie in the
Park](#)
[24th - Movie in the
Park](#)

Palm Springs North
8th - Civic
Association Meeting

Stay Connected

Miami, FL 33014

Miami FL, 33015

Should you need any assistance with Miami-Dade County issues or have any concerns that you would like to address with Commissioner Bovo, please come out and meet with him. No appointments are necessary.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
COMMISSIONER ESTEBAN BOVO, JR.
INVITES YOU TO HIS

Town Hall Series

to discuss and listen to your concerns and ideas!

Monday, January 13th 5:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. JFK Library 190 West 49th Street Hialeah, FL 33012	Monday, February 10th 5:45—7:45 p.m. Town of Miami Lakes TBD	Monday, March 10th 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Norman & Jean Reach Park 7901 NW 176th Street Miami FL 33015
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We will host a Town Hall meeting throughout our District every second Monday of the Month

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Golden Passport Outreach Events 2014 Series

Save the Dates!

February 5th	Commissioner Bovo's District Office
May 7th	Goodlet Senior Center
August 6th	Miami Lakes Government Center
November 5th	PSN Library

Miami-Dade County residents who are 65 years or older and Social Security beneficiaries can register for or renew their Golden Passport EASY Card free of charge.

To register for or renew your card, your address must be current and correct within the department's system, and you must bring the following documents:

Join Our Mailing List!



Joining our Newsletter is easy!

Just send your email address by text message:

Text
COMMBOVO
to **22828** to get started.

Message and data rates may apply.

- * Picture identification (Current, valid Florida I.D. or Driver's License)
- * Social Security Card
- * A current year print-out from the Social Security Administration, verifying continued eligibility (if under 65 years of age)
- * Golden Passport EASY Card (For those renewing their cards)

For more information, please contact Commissioner Bovo's office at 305-820-8424.

Dan Marino Foundation - WalkAbout Autism

Show your support for us in our Walk for Autism!

You can help by donating to my [TEAM](#)

My Team Name: Team Bovo

Where: Sun Life Stadium

347 Don Shula Drive

Miami Gardens, FL 33056

When: Saturday, January 25, 2014

From 9am to 1pm

BE THE ONE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

For more information, please visit:

http://support.danmarinofoundation.org/site/TR?pg=entry&fr_id=1090



Calling all High School and College Students

**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSIONER ESTEBAN BOVO, JR.
is looking for Interns and Volunteers**

**DO YOU NEED COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS?
DO YOU WANT TO GAIN EXPERIENCE WORKING FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENT?
DO YOU WANT TO BUILD YOUR RESUME?**



CONTACT HIS OFFICE AT 305.820.8424 TO INQUIRE



SAVE THE DATE

COMMISSIONER ESTEBAN BOVO, JR
**Miami-Dade County Animal Services &
Parks and Recreation Department for a**

MEGA ADOPTION EVENT

**FREE Spay and Neuter
50% off Adoptions**

SATURDAY • 2/8/2013 • 9:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M.

**AMELIA EARHART PARK
Bill Graham Farm Village**

Call our office at 305.820.8424 for more details



DECEMBER IN REVIEW

**Commissioner Bovo's Christmas Toy Give
Away**



The Commissioner held a toy drive this year to give toys to a few families in the district.

Martha Flores Annual Christmas Show on Radio Mambi



Commissioner on the Martha Flores's Annual Christmas Show with the Mayor Carlos Gimenez and Chairwoman Rebeca Sosa.

Mayor's Luncheon & Toy Drive



(From Left to Right) Commissioner Bovo, Hialeah Councilwoman Lozano, Hialeah Councilwoman Martinez, and Mr. Lozano.

Commissioner Bovo joined the Hialeah Chamber of Commerce, the City of Hialeah, City of Hialeah Gardens and Mayor Carlos Hernandez at the Annual Mayor's Luncheon and Toy Drive at the Hialeah Park.

HHA Christmas Party



Commissioner Bovo joined Mayor Carlos Hernandez, members of the Hialeah council, and the Hialeah Housing Authority for their Annual Christmas Party



Norman & Jean Reach Park Walkway Ground Breaking



Commissioner Bovo and the Miami-Dade County Parks Recreation and Open spaces Department joined forces to broke ground for new amenities at the Norman and Jean Reach Park. The park will receive a new walking path with shaded wayside seating, and new expanded patios around the recreation center and concession building.

This project was made possible with the assistance of Miami-Dade County Public Schools Superintendent Alberto Carvalho, the School Board and the School Board Chair, Perla Taberas Hantman, District 4, where Palm Springs North Elementary School is located.

Funding of \$154,000 for the project will be provided by the Quality Neighborhood Improvement Program (QNIP), Capital Outlay Reserve (COR), Impact Fees, and the Miami-Dade County District 13 Commission Office.



(Left to Right) State Representative Manny Diaz, Jr., Chastity Acosta from State Senator Rene Garcia's office, Commissioner Esteban Bovo, Jr., Councilman Jack Perez (Community Council #5), Deputy Director George Navarrete from Miami-Dade County Parks and Recreation, and Ana Lara from Miami-Dade County School Board Chairwoman Perla Tabares Hantman's Office

Press Conference for the Unveiling of the Miami Dade Sites Website



On December 3rd The website allows businesses to analyze

the benefits of obtaining available industrial and commercial properties in Miami-Dade County.

Miami Lakes Fire Dept. Working for You



Commissioner Bovo Jr. visited County Fire Station #1 in Miami Lakes on Monday, December 2 as part of his "Working for You" campaign. On his visit the Commissioner toured the Facility with Chief Fire Officer Felipe Osaba, joined firefighters in responding to several incidents.

Commissioner Bovo began his "Working for You" campaign in May 2013. Since then, he has visited several County departments - including the Animal Services, Water and Sewer, and Police - listening and acquiring a better understanding of the needs and services provided in our community.



Commissioner Bovo with Chief Fire Officer Felipe Osaba

COUNTY SERVICES

*The Community Image Advisory Board (CIAB)
invites you to help our community and win
a great prize!*



Design a poster that explains what we can do to
"Clean Up and Green Up" our community.

NEW THIS YEAR!

A video competition:



High Schools are encouraged to submit a video (a maximum of two minutes long) telling us your school's tips to "Clean Up and Green Up" our community.

Click on www.miamidade.gov/image/ for more details.

A Wonderful Prize Can Be Yours:

Grades	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place
Elementary School*	Leap Pad	\$75 ToysRUs Gift Card	\$50 ToysRUs Gift Card
Middle School*	Ipad	\$75 iTunes Gift Card	\$50 AMC Movies Gift Card
High School*	Ipad	\$75 iTunes Gift Card	\$50 AMC Movies Gift Card

High School Video Winner: A Deluxe Video Package for your school.

**Teachers of winning students will also win a prize!*

Entries will be accepted beginning
Tuesday, January 21, 2014
and must be submitted by
Friday, February 21, 2014

Submit entries to:

Clean Up and Green Up Poster Contest
c/o The Miami Herald Media Company/NIE
Attn: Karen A. Tynes
3511 NW 91 Avenue
Miami, Florida 33172
ktynes@miamiherald.com

Poster requirements: Include your name, school, grade, home address, phone number or e-mail on the back of the poster or visit www.miamidade.gov/image/ to print submit form. The submit form must be taped to the back of the artwork. All artwork must be original. You may use any media except of two photographs or three-dimensional. Only winning posters will be returned. Artwork cannot be larger than 10'x20'. One artwork per student. One artist per school. Submissions must be original designs created by student. The contest is open to all students in grades K-12 in any school within Miami-Dade County. All entries become property of the Miami Herald, Community Image Advisory Board and NewsMedia In Education. Video requirements can be found online at www.miamidade.gov/image/



To request material in accessible format, information on access for persons with disabilities, or sign language interpreter services (7 days in advance), call 305-755-7848.



**Miami-Dade County Park Foundation
2013-2014 Noches Tropicales**



Noches Tropicales and Tropical Nights are produced each year by Miami-Dade Parks to bring communities closer together through the presentation of culturally diverse entertainment that is free and enjoyable for families.

The 2013-2014 Noches Tropicales at Tropical Park include: TCharanga music featuring Andy Harlow on Feb. 14, 2014; and ending out the season will be Merengue artist Tony Swing on April 4, 2014.

For More information -

<http://www.miamidade.gov/parks/tropical-nights.asp>

COMMUNITY UPDATES

TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES
AND ITS YOUTH ACTIVITIES TASK FORCE
BRING YOU

MOVIES AT THE PARK

Jan. 10 & 24

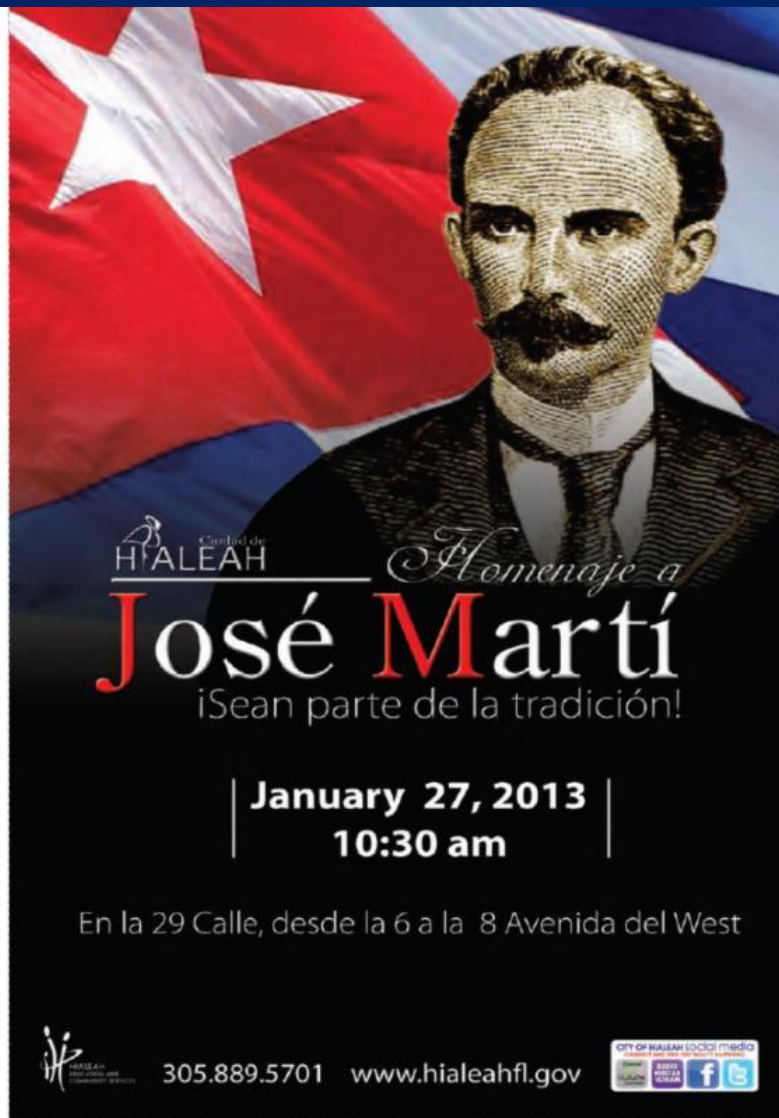
Feb. 7 & 21

7:30 pm

MIAMI LAKES PICNIC PARK WEST
15151 MONTROSE ROAD

FREE!

MIAMI LAKES
Growing Beautifully



If you would like to submit a community invitation or update for our next newsletter, please email us at District13@miamidade.gov

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